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Amendments to the Specification:

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PRIOR APPLICATION DATA

The present application is a national phase application of International Application No. PCT/EP2005/002820, entitled "Circulation Device for a Rotary Compressor, Rotary Compressor, and Method for Operating the Same", with international filing date, March 17, 2005, which in turn claims priority from German application DE 0448805170.4, filed on March 19, 2004, all of which are incorporated by reference in their entirety.

FIELD OF THE INVENTION --

On page 1, after the following paragraph:

-- The invention relates to a circulating apparatus for a rotary compressor in accordance with the preamble of claim 1. The invention further relates to a rotary compressor in accordance with the preamble of claim 5. The invention further relates to a method for the operation of a rotary compressor in accordance with the preamble of claim 9. --

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-- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --

On page 2, after the following paragraph:

-- A disadvantage of such contact-free dry gas seals is the fact that these are frequently damaged. --

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-- SUMMARY --

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On page 5, before the following paragraph:

-- The invention will now be described in detail with reference to an embodiment. There are
shown: --

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-- BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS --

On page 5, after the following paragraph:

-- Figure 3 a schematic view of a further arrangement of the circulating apparatus in a
compressor. --

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-- DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION --